Dixie Youth Queens named

Saturday evening, June 25, the Dixie Youth Queens were crowned at the W.O.W. ball park in Appomattox.

The nominees and their escorts for the Minor League were:

Miss Jodi Shirey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shirey - representing the "Angels" - escorted by James Gallier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Gallier.

Miss Suzanne O'Brien, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. O'Brien, representing the "Cardinals" - escorted by Scott Carson.

Miss Rhonda Womack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Womack - representing the "Dodgers" - escorted by Kevin Doss.

Miss Sherry Wesley, granddaughter of The Rev. and Mrs. Wyatt Venable, representing the "Pirates" - escorted by W. T. Venable, son of Rev. and Mrs. Wyatt Venable.

Miss Lori Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Harris, representing the "Reds", escorted by Billy Mann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mann.

Miss Ashley Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Burke, represented by Miss Michelle Carwile, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carwile, representing the "Redsox" - escorted by Craig Womack, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Womack.

Miss Melissa Garrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Garrett, representing the "Yankees" - escorted by Michael Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith.

The nominees and their escorts for the Major League were:

Miss Rhonda Ranson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Ranson, representing the "Giants" - escorted by Todd Guill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Guill.

Miss Melanie Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris, escorted by Carroll Wayne Mayberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mayberry - representing the "Orioles".

Miss Julie Abbitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Abbitt - representing the "Red Sox" - escorted by Nicky Trent, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Trent.

Miss Robin Mann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Mann - representing the "Yankees" - escorted by Mike Mann - son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mann.

The nominees and queens were announced by Mr. Larry LeSuer.

The queens were - Miss Jodi Shirey for the Minor League and Miss Melanie Morris for the Major League.

The queens received a bouquet and a crown from the president, Sammy Carter.

All the nominees received a rose and a gift presented by Miss Sheila Fulcher and Mrs. Sammy Carter and Mr. Evan Thompson.

The Dixie Youth parents presented the president, Sammy Carter, with a gift to show their appreciation for all he has done for the youth of Appomattox.

Miss Melanie Morris and her escourt, Mr. Carroll Wayne Mayberry.

Miss Jody Shirey and her escourt, Mr. James Gallier.

All Stars to play in regional tourney

The Appomattox Dixie Boys (ages 13-14) All-Star team will play in the regional tournament. Their first game will be in Madison Heights at 6 p.m. on July 9.

The following are members of the team: Andre McCoy, Ricky Dickerson, Robert Chenault, Alex Almond, Marvin Hamlett, Dwayne Patterson, Ron Scruggs, Gary Scruggs, Barry Phelps, Jeff Motley, Scott Miller, Brad Mann, Anthony Kelso, R. W. Jamerson, Tim Turner and Leroy Woolridge.

Leroy Kelso will manage the team with Luke Paulette and Willie Cyrus as coaches.

Little League meeting slated

A planning session for the upcoming Appomattox County Little League Football and Cheerleading programs will be held July 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the Appomattox Town office.

Anyone interested in working with the football and/or cheerleading programs this fall is encouraged to attend this planning session.

Athlete physicals planned

Physical examinations for girls who plan to participate in autumn sports in Appomattox County schools will be offered Monday, July 11 at 4 p.m. at Appomattox County High School.

Physical examinations for male athletes who plan to participate in autumn sports in Appomattox County schools will be offered Monday, July 25 at 4 p.m. at the high school.

Locals to host tourney

The Appomattox Dixie Pre-Majors (15-16) All-Stars will be the host team in the regional baseball tournament. This tournament will consist of teams from Appomattox, Nelson, Buckingham and Farmville. Games will begin Wed., July 13 at 6 p.m. at the Town Ball Park.

The Appomattox squad will be made up of the following: Lonny Hamlett, Paul Johnson, Ricky Turner, Mike Jackson, Terry McCoy, Ron Seay, Monte Ferguson, Kenny Richardson, Mike Ferguson, Tim Austin, Tom Cobb, R. L. Waldo, Ron Guill, Kevin Kendrick, Russel Walton,, and Tony Mann. The manager will be Bob Hudson with Jim Bollinger and Bobby Seay as the coaches.

The tournament will be a double elimination with the champion moving on to the state playoffs at Madison Heights. First round games will be Buckingham vs. Nelson at 6 and Appomattox vs. Farmville at 8:15 on July 13.

Rec program outlined

Following is a list of recreation opportunities for July and August, provided by the Appomattox County Recreation Department:

Arts and Crafts- July 11-22 - High School Art Classroom - 1 to 3 p.m. - Instructor -Wendy Richardson - $5 material fee.

A variety of arts and crafts activities for ages 6 through 11.

Drama - July 25 - August 5 - High School Auditorium 1-3 p.m. Instructor - Kate Gray- No fee.

An introduction to world of drama with each student becoming an actor! Ages 6 up.

Soccer - July 25 - Aug. 5 - Elementary School Playing Field 6-9 p.m. Instructor- Armin Thoma.

Learn the basis of soccer. For boys and girls, ages 6 up.

Keep cool this summer

Ninety in the shade this summer needn't snafu your work day or weekend activities. When the alarm clock sounds, put this plan into action to keep yourself in the swing of things throughout a blistering day.

If you are preparing to face the business world, pull from your closet a two-piece, polyester-and-wool suit and team it with a polyester dress shirt, advises Luciano Franzoni, fashion authority of Hart Schaffner & Marx. "Natural-fiber clothing breathes well and provides the necessary absorption for perspiration. But clothing in a combination of natural and synthetic fibers wrinkles less and wears better.

"All-cotton socks and underwear are absorbant, too, whereas lightweight shoes with leather uppers let air in and out to keep the feet cool", continues Franzoni. "And men should consider wearing T-shirt for another layer of absorbency and additional cooling."

Next, tumble into a lukewarm shower or an old-fashioned milk bath. Tepid water will accelerate the body's cooling system since it helps dilate blood vessels and improves circulation. If the latter is your bathing choice, add one-half cup of milk to a tub of water to bring soothing relief to the skin.

Before slipping into your beat-the-heat ensemble, dust yourself with powder and apply a talc-based antiperspirant to absorb body moisture so you'll feel cool longer.

Warm-weather relief can be had by stashing your favorite spray-on scent in the refrigerator for a tingling sensation when applied. Or, concoct your own cooling fragrance by adding a few drops of your favorite scent to four ounces of rubbing alcohol.

An altered diet plan will further squelch the effects of a scorcher. Begin breakfast with a glass of orange juice which will replace the potassium you perspire away. Avoid those beverages with a significant caffeine content since the stimulant stirs up the body's metabolic rate which makes a person feel warmer.

Eat lighter meals, too, now that it's summer. Overeating forces your digestive system to work harder to absorb the food and, as a result, you'll feel warmer. The body will also function more efficiently with proper weight control.

At breakfast and at all meals and snacks, cut back or eliminate your intake of refined sugar and select foods with natural sugars, such as fruits and vegetables. These food groups will replenish the body with energy over a prolonged period of time whereas refined sugar only supplies a short and quick burst of energy.

Mail registration for VCU night classes set

Advance mail registration for fall semester evening courses is under way at Virginia Commonwealth University.

It will continue through August 5, Rozanne G. Epps, director of the Evening Studies program, said.

'Almost 900 undergraduates and graduate evening courses are offered for fall, including a telecourse and weekend classes.

Evening classes begin Monday, August 29. In-person registration for them will be held from 3:30 to 8 p.m. August 23 and 24 in the Mosque Ballroom.

Complete course listings and registration information are obtainable by calling VCU Evening Studies Office at 804/257-0200.

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Chestnut Grove news

The Young Adult Sunday School Class of the Chestnut Grove Baptist Church had a picnic Sunday night at Woolridge Wayside.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Repass and Mrs. T.N. Saul visited Mrs. Janie Repass at Blackstone Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Flippen passed away Saturday in a Richmond hospital. The funeral will be Tuesday in Richmond. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Carter of Burkeville were Sunday visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meek of Virginia Beach were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mann.

Visiting points of interest in Florida last week were Mr. and Mrs. K.M. Beasley, Jr., Kathy and Kemper III.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Vernard Proffitt were Mr. and Mrs. Garland Jennings of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jamerson of Pamplin.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Cook Tuesday were Mrs. Janie Howe and Mrs. Loraine Wooten, both of Dillwyn.

Kemper M. Beasley, Sr. spent a part of last week in the University of Virginia Hospital in Charlottes-

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New book available for Virginia history buffs

Question: Where can an industrious genealogist, hot on the trail of a long forgotten great great uncle, grab a quick lunch while doing research at the State Archives in Baton Rouge?

Answer: The Acme Oysterhouse, 724 Iberville Street.

Question: And after a hard day in Philadelphia's Historical Society of Pennsylvania where can an historian spend the night cheaply without risk to life and limb?

Answer: The International House at the University of Pennsylvania.

Hundreds of tips like these are to be found in a new publicaiton "The Early American Historian's Travel Guide," produced by the Institute of Early American History and Culture (IEAHC) at the College of William and Mary.

This is an unusual publication for the IEAHC which recently celebrated a Pulitzer Prize winning publication, "The Transformation of Virginia, 1740-1790," by Rhys L. Isaac, and regularly publishes The William and Mary Quarterly, considered the leading scholarly journal in the field of Early American History. Located on the campus of the College of William and Mary, the Institute is sponsored by the College and the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.

The guide book is a collaborative effort by staff members of the Institute and represents the third time the Institute has stepped outside the scholarly field to publish something "just for fun." Earlier the IEAHC published a cookbook aimed at gourmet meals on a shoestring budget and "Trivia" a collection of Early American humor, culled from years of research by different early American historians. "Trivia" is a regular feature of the Quarterly and contributors are invited to send in items for which they will receive $1.00 lawful money when said items are printed."

Although it is not a scholarly work, the guide book is an earnest publication. The Institute sent over 100 questionnaires to librarians and archivists at institutions along the east coast and selected western states.

The idea for the guide started with Tom Doerflinger, visiting editor of publications for the Institute, and he is one of the staff members who worked on the book. He says he felt there was a definite need for such a book. "Scholars in search of material often travel to places they are not familiar with and find that archivists and librarians there are not much help in suggesting lodging or dining that is good and economical. They are residents and they are not visitor oriented," explains Doerflinger.

"As the costs of travel have increased while research budgets have contracted, it has been increasingly difficult for scholars to conduct research trips that often take them to several different cities," says Doerflinger. "The problem is of great concern to us because many of the articles and books that we publish are based on such research."

Doerflinger will leave the Institute this summer to begin another book on a more weighty subject. He will be working on Wall Street as an investment researcher while writing a history of financing industries in America. He has been in Williamsburg for a year as a visiting editor and earlier spent two years as an Institute Fellow. He holds degrees from Princeton and Harvard.

While designed for the scholar, the guide book is also a handy reference for anyone who is interested in historical sites and contains information not available in conventional tourist guides. Doerflinger thinks that amateur genealogists will find it particularly helpful. The information collected from the contributors was prepared for publication without any further additions being made so some entries are more complete than others.

"The Early American Historian's Travel Guide," is available in Williamsburg., from Scribner's Bookstore, the College Bookstore or from the Institute of Early American History and Culture, The College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Va. 23185.

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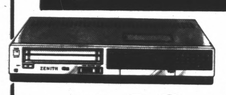

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